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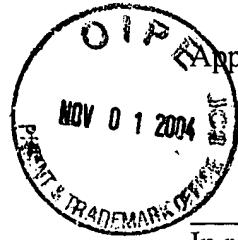
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For: FILLED PELLETIZED MATERIALS MADE  
FROM HIGH- OR ULTRAHIGH-  
MOLECULAR-WEIGHT POLYETHYLENES  
AND PROCESS FOR THEIR PRODUCTION

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

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